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Jam Can Curling 2009

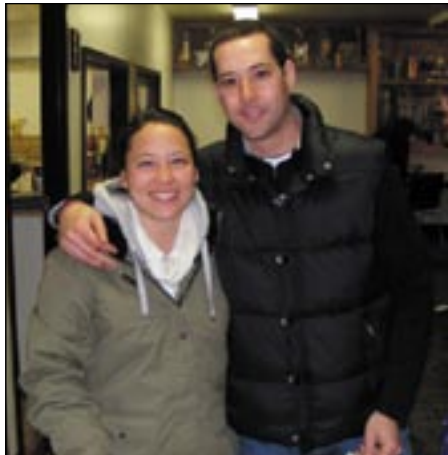


Gold medal winners: Braden Harding, Jessica Adam, Cole Henschell and Reede Hawton.



Silver medal winners: Brett Hessian, Tyler Flood, Steven Simpson and Jordan Daymond.

The Orville Acres Arena was a beehive of activity Monday with the annual Pinawa Jam Can Curling Bonspiel. Curlers from kindergarten to high school participated in the event, which is often a chance for grandchildren and cousins from out of town to join in the fun.



The event was sponsored by the Winnipeg River Recreation District, hosted by the new Rec Director Shawn Wilkinison. Shawn and his wife Elisha are new residents to Pinawa and Jam Can was an excellent opportunity for the couple to meet a lot of new people.

We'll have more results and a profile of Shawn in next week's edition.

Curlers enjoyed getting medals and goodie bags for their performance, as well as a free hot dog and drink.

Spring break-in at the Pinawa Club



Vandals took the patio chairs and tried to gain entry to the Pinawa Club on March 28 RCMP are asking anyone who has knowledge of this crime to call Crimestoppers. See the police report on page 2.

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Canvassing for Cancer

April is Cancer canvassing month. Have some of you wondered why you haven't been called to receive your kits to start canvassing? Well, we are going through a period of transition. Barb has decided to do some travelling and I am stepping into her shoes. I have already found out that they are big shoes to fill. Anyway, the master list from last year is lost and I am working from an old list. So if someone is sitting at home and wondering why Barb hasn't called them, that is the reason. If you are sitting at home waiting for the phone call to start canvassing can you please call me, Sigga Schofield at 753-2523. I have some people stretched thin

trying to do extra routes to make sure the town is covered. Are you new in town and would like to canvass for cancer? Have you canvassed somewhere else and would like to continue to help the Cancer Society? Please give me a call; I will not turn down extra help. Many hands make less work.

Cancer is one of the diseases that touches everyone. It can be someone in your family, a friend or someone you know. The disease can even trickle down to include your pets. Please give generously when the Cancer canvassers knock on your door.

Thank you,

Sigga

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Solo Publishing, aka The Paper, is no longer offering copy or print services. We are pleased, however, to announce that we have loaned the colour Xerox printer to Granite Internet Ser-

vices. Granite's rates for colour copies are comparable or better than Staples, and obviously more convenient. Granite is open weekdays from 9 to 5 at the Lewis Business Centre.

Condolences

Sympathies are extended to the family of Kathy and Brian Huycke. Brian died in Texas, following an accidental fall in his winter home. Brian was known for his blogs in the Winnipeg Free Press, which also found their way into The Paper on occasion. Pinawa was a topic for his column several times, and Brian's perspective will be missed.

Condolences are also offered to the families of Glen Morrison and Ken Skelly, both members of the Pinawa Golf Club. Glen was an active member for over 25 years, and founded the Adopt-a-Hole program.

School Board briefs

At its Regular Meeting of Tuesday March 24, 2009 the Board of Trustees:

Accepted the resignation of Mr. C. Wallach, student sweeper, effective March 27, 2009;

Approved the hiring of Mr. Ryan Flood, student sweeper, effective March 9, 2009;

Adopted the minutes of the Regular School Board meeting of February 24, 2009;

Adopted the minutes of Special Budget meeting of March 10, 2009;

Received a letter from MAST re Distribution of Board Ballots and registered Chairman R. Murray & Vice Chair R. Galeschuk to receive the Board Ballots at the 2009 Annual MAST Convention;

Accepted with regret the letter of resignation from Mrs. J. Borgfjord; Granted Mrs. L. Evenden a continuing permanent half-time position starting with 2009/2010 school year;

Adopted the minutes of the Committee of the Whole Meeting held March 17, 2009;

Approved the contract for Finance Officer/Board Secretary Jenny Petersen effective April 6, 2009;

Accepted the minutes of the Intersectoral Meeting of March 3, 2009;

Reviewed and approved the Current Accounts for the month Accounts Payable in the amount of \$146,553.03 Payroll Accounts in the amount of \$114,092.14.

RCMP report

submitted by S/Sgt Glen Reitlo

edited to include Pinawa content only

Tuesday, March 24th, 2009

At 9:50 AM there was a lost wallet reported in Pinawa. A call back later advised that the wallet was found misplaced.

Thursday, March 26th, 2009

At 9:19 AM there was a request to check on the well being of a subject from Pinawa. Checks revealed that he was out of town and fine.

Saturday, March 28th, 2009

At 1:10 AM there was a report of Vandalism and Break and Enter to the Pinawa Club in Pinawa. A subject smashed a number of windows in the building gaining entry. The subject was cut during the Break in. The matter is being investigated but Pinawa RCMP is looking for anyone with information on this crime to call the local RCMP Detachment or Crimestoppers @ 1-800-22-TIPS(8477).

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Curling season wraps for another year

Tavis Donnelly's mixed team was the overall winner of the Pinawa Mixed Curling League. A young team with very little curling experience, they acquitted themselves very well over the course of the season. Second to sixth place, in order, were Koroll, Suski, Bialas, Smith and Payne.

The Men's league saw a tie at the top between Jack Turner and Grant Koroll, necessitating a playoff Thursday evening, with Turner the eventual winner.

The win earned the Turner rink a spot in the inaugural Dominion Curling Championships Zone playdowns, which were held in Beausejour Saturday and Sunday. Turner, Richard Suski, Tom Kearns, and Guy Bissonnette/Devon Turner/Ernie Bialas failed to make it out of the Zones, coming up against some tough Eastman competition. The Ladies rink of Louise Daymond, Pam Haugen, Katherine Podaima and Myrna Suski, also fell short of the provincial playdowns. Eight teams competed in the Men's event, while three jostled for the top spot in the ladies.

Now it's time to break out the golf clubs and rollerblades!

Jackrabbit Corner *by Bruce Goodwin*



Jackrabbits enjoy a rest break. Right, Emma in a cloud of bull-rush seeds.

Firstly, our Jackrabbits deny any responsibility for the latest snow flurry: we did not organize a snow dance. Secondly, we wouldn't mind just a few more weeks of skiing before the summer-time blahs arrive. However we are definitely into bonus time.

This Sunday we explored a completely different part of our surroundings. We actually made use of the snowmobile trails for a

skate ski and then did some real cross country skiing over a frozen marsh and deep into the bush. By some stroke of good fortune, we found our way to the Red-Green cabin for a short rest break. Along the way, most of us ended up skiing in t-shirts as the temperature had soared to +3C under a blistering sun and bright blue sky.

The ski season is not yet over and we might even get out for



one (hopefully two) more sessions. The technique of choice now is skate skiing, especially because you can ski just about anywhere and there is some great scenery out there. It's not too late to join us for another exposition and maybe pick up some skating pointers! Check out www.WhiteshellSkiClub.com for more photos of our trip.

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BATS IN YOUR BACKYARD

*Wed. April 15, 7 p.m.
with Morgan Hallett*

Want to learn about an environmentally friendly way you can decrease the number of mosquitoes this summer? Be in the Library on April 15 for Morgan Hallett's presentation on bats. Morgan Hallett is the Senior Park Interpreter, North Whiteshell. Her program will be an introduction to the bats that live in Eastern Manitoba including their descriptions, and their adaptations and challenges for survival.

At the presentation, you can purchase your own bat house kit, precut by Bruce Goodwin. The houses will be approx. 2' x 2' and will happily hold 40 or so bats. Attendees at the

presentation can also enter a draw to win a FREE bat house. Other than the idea that bats are our friends because they live on insects, I didn't know a lot about these shy, flying mammals. A quick google search located Fort Whyte Centre's 'Bats in your Backyard' article which reinforced my perception:

- Bats are not blind; although these night-fliers rely on other strong senses to help them navigate in the dark, some bats see quite well.
- Bats don't fly into people's hair; more agile fliers than birds, they may swoop in close to catch insects that are attracted to people.
- It's rare for bats to pass rabies on to people; pet owners are far more likely to contract rabies

VOLUNTEERS FOR THE WEEK OF Apr 1 - 8, 2009

Wed. Apr. 1	Marion Stewart	Paul Crosthwaite, Lyn Ewing
Thurs. Apr. 2	Helen Tomlinson	Marion Delaney
Fri. Apr. 3	Chris Crosthwaite	no volunteer
Mon. Apr. 6	LIBRARY CLOSED	Les Crosthwaite
Tues. Apr. 7	Carolyn Brady	Ann Sisler
Wed. Apr. 8	Ann Quinn	Bob Jones, Hans Miller

from family dogs and cats.

- All Manitoba bats are insect eaters; some species can consume more than 3,000 insects on one night! Insects on the menu include moths, beetles, cutworms, armyworms and, of course, the pesky mosquito.

STORYTIME TAKES A BREAK

There's no Storytime today during this Spring Break week. Jackie will be back with Storytime in April for about 3 weeks.

NEW CRIME

Bones by Jonathan Kellerman
Fresh Disasters, Iron Orchid and Two Dollar Bill by Stuart Woods

No Regrets by Ann Rule (true crime)
Sins of the Suffragette by Allan Levine
Palace Council by Stephen L. Carter

NEW DVDS

Hanging Up (Meg Ryan, Diane Keaton, Lisa Kudrow, Walter Matthau)
Twisted (Ashley Judd, Samuel L. Jackson, Andy Garcia)
Radio (Cuba Gooding, Jr., Ed Harris)
Artificial Intelligence (Haley Joel Osment, Jude Law)
The Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl (Johnny Depp et al)
The Pelican Brief (Julia Roberts, Denzel Washington)
The Da Vinci Code (Tom Hanks)
Princess of Thieves (Keira Knightley, tale of Robin Hood's daughter)



North Eastman Health Association

PUBLIC NOTICE

North Eastman Health Association is pleased to announce that **Dr. Mary Hanna** has begun her medical practice at the Pinawa Medical Clinic on Monday, March 9th, 2009.

We are also pleased to announce that **Dr. Amgad Eskandar** will begin his medical practice at the Lac du Bonnet District Health Centre on Monday, March 30th, 2009. As members of our Medical Staff, Dr. Mary Hanna and Dr. Amgad Eskandar will also serve on the physician on-call roster for the Pinawa Hospital. They will be accepting new patients. Please contact the Pinawa Medical Clinic (753-2351) and the Lac du Bonnet District Health Centre (345-8173) if you wish to make an appointment.

We welcome Dr. Hanna, and Dr. Eskandar and his family to Pinawa and North Eastman.

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We send our heartfelt appreciation for your help and support as Frank recovered from his illness at the hospital. Thank you for the hospital visits, prayers, cards, phone calls and snow shoveling from around our house and driveway and so many other acts of kindness towards both of us.

Special thanks to Dr. Petkau and the hospital staff for your outstanding care.

Frank & Anne Barclay

Bridge Bites

from The American Contract Bridge League
by **Brian Gunnell**

The game of bridge is enriched by many beautiful plays and stratagems, and we all love to talk about our latest Trump Coup or Double Squeeze. But even that pales into insignificance when compared to the fun we get from hoodwinking the opponents with a deceptive play. There's nothing a bridge player enjoys more than a little bit of larceny!

♠ 652
♥ 874
♦ A654
♣ A64
North

♠ AKJ
♥ 6532
♦ JT9
♣ 987
West

♠ 43
♥ QT9
♦ Q873
♣ JT53
East

♠ QT987
♥ AKJ
♦ K2
♣ KQ2
South

"Delightful Deception"

The N-S auction goes 1♠-2♣-4♣. West leads the ♦J and when Dummy goes down it's apparent that the success of the contract depends upon not losing three Spades and one Heart. It's a simple hand, wouldn't you say? Declarer wins the Diamond lead in Dummy, and finesses the ♠T, losing to West's Jack. Oh, well, now there are three sure trump losers and Declarer uses Dummy's sole remaining entry to take the Heart finesse. That works, and it's 10 tricks for Declarer, losing just three trumps.

Rewind! That was easy for Declarer, but only because West made it so. On the first round of trumps, when Declarer finessed the ♠T, a more wily West would have played the Ace (or King)! This doesn't cost anything as West still

scores three trump tricks eventually. Now, a bamboozled Declarer crosses to Dummy for the last time and repeats the Spade finesse (which he "knows" will work),

rather than take the Heart finesse (which may not work). Beating 4♣ by one trick? A fine result! The look on Declarer's face when the second Spade finesse loses? Priceless!

DUPLICATE BRIDGE RESULTS

Mon. March 23 Pairs		Wed. Mar. 25 Individual	
1	Lorne Swanson / Marg Stokes	1/2	Esther Wright
2/3	Bonnie Edkins / Doug Edkins	1/2	Marg Stokes
2/3	Esther Wright / Marg Wikjord	3/4	Barb Zerbin
		3/4	Glenna Zetaruk
		5	Doug Bellamy

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Rec Scene

with Shawn Wilkinson, Recreation Director
Winnipeg River Recreation District

Spring and Summer Programming Guide

The guide is out and registration is open! Courses begin April 6 don't miss out call the rec office today!

Spring Fling

Spring Fling is April 17-18. Come out to this great family event. April 17 at the Community Centre there will be a perogy dinner featuring the Centennial idols, Lac du Bonnet Karate Club, the Mohuntney Ukranian Dancers and the first ever So You Think You Can Dance Lac Du Bonnet. April 18 we have at the Pioneer Club the pancake breakfast, at the Community Centre the Legion lunch and the community treasure hunt. The kids carnival will take place in the curling rink followed by a magic show by Donny

Sanderson. Fro more information and times watch for posters and schedules or call the Rec office.

Kids of Mud

KOM is a learn-to-ride and learn-to-race program for kids 17 and younger. Through the help of certified coaches and volunteers, riders will learn the basics of off-road cycling with an opportunity to challenge their skill and fitness in a fun race series. KOM is having their next AGM on April 16, at 6:30pm at the Alliance Church.

Walk for MS

Make the step that ends Mulptal Sclerosis. The Walk for MS takes place in Lac du Bonnet on April 26. Register now at www.mswalks.ca or by calling toll free at 1 800 268-7582. For more information visit the website.

SCHOOL SCENE

by Tessa Trueman

This week our school has been eager for spring break. No school or work for a whole ten days! Imagine that. I get eager when I hear that I don't have to work my brain. Some people in school are going on vacations to different places, while others decide to stay close to home. Then there are others, like myself, who celebrate not having to work the brain and do absolutely nothing.

Some people that I know for sure are going to have an awesome spring break are the people in travel club. Travel club left last week for a 10 day trip to Europe. More specifically they are going/ went to England, Scotland, and France. More details will be in

next week's article since I don't have much info on the travel club, FYI they aren't back yet.

New activities have started, and old ones have finished. Mrs. Hilliard has started an after school girls basketball practice thing. Girls from grades 7- 12 can come after school on Fridays and practice basketball. We work on our offense/ defence/ shooting skills and have scrimmages. It's a lot of fun. The High School Guitar Hero competition has ended last week. I can't recall the winners, but many students participated. The competition took place every day at lunch in the past few weeks.

That is it for now, enjoy your spring break!!

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Doreen Randell

Wife, Mother, Grandmother, Great Grandmother

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CRIBBAGE RESULTS

Mar 24 - 1st place Carol Roberts & Bob Dick 697
2nd Faye Kasprick & Marv Cooper 690
3rd Diane Loesch & Marg Mazurick 688
24 hand Ruth Derksen
28 & 29 hand carried over

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| April 1 Bruce Bremner | April 4 Richard Oliveira |
| April 2 Marissa Buell | April 5 Ed Kozak |
| April 2 Olga Legiehn | April 5 Melony Rattai-Templeton |
| April 4 Margaret Locke | April 5 Helene Labelle |
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for Holy Thursday (Apr.09) and Good Friday (Apr.10) will be at 5:00 P.M.

50 PLUS LUNCHEON WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8TH, 2009
at 12:00 noon. Gordon Emberley will be the speaker on the history of Aviation in Manitoba and Lac Du Bonnet.

COMPUTER TRAINING FOR SENIORS: EIGHT CLASSES FOR LEVEL 1
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PINAWA PUBLIC LIBRARY PRESENTS BATS IN YOUR BACKYARD
Wed. April 15, 7 p.m. in the Library with Morgan Hallett, Senior Park Interpreter, North Whiteshell - bat house kits, precut by Bruce Goodwin, for sale at the presentation - enter the draw to win a FREE bat house

THE KIDS OF MUD PARENTS GROUP WILL HOLD THEIR ANNUAL AGM
on Sunday, April 19th at 6:30 p.m. at the Alliance Church. For more information call Frank Walton at 753-2603 or email fwalton@mts.net.

KNOWLEDGE IS THE BEST MEDICINE
April 29, 2009 9:30 – 11:30 am at the Lac du Bonnet Health Centre.
Call Pat at Two Rivers office to register 345-1227.

SISTERS OF THE HOLY ROCK CONCERT
The Sisters of the Holy Rock group, recently featured on Channel 12, will be performing in Pinawa on May 2. For ticket info call Betty at 753-2967

SNOW FLIES IN PINAWA

Peter Taylor



This headline has nothing to do with the Colorado Low that plunged us back into an extra week or two of winter. The creature in the picture is a wingless crane fly that has adapted to winter activity in the north woods. On a mild, midwinter day these little fellows (no larger than a mosquito) can sometimes be seen wandering on the surface of the snow. A glycerol-based antifreeze system lets them roam where normal flies would be lying toes-up. I saw several during a fleeting mild spell on January 31, and took this photo on one of those tantalizing spring-like days a couple of weeks ago. No, this isn't an April Fool gag – check it



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For info on these or any Pinawa Properties please call:



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